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ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER ANNA TOVAR

May 19, 2021

Docket Control Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 W. Washington St. Phoenix, AZ 85007

Re: In the matter of the application of Arizona Public Service Company for a hearing to determine the fair value of the utility property of the company for ratemaking purposes, to fix a just and reasonable rate of return thereon, to approve rate schedules designed to develop such return (E-01345A-19-0236).

Mr. Guldner:

During your rate case, the Attorney General launched an investigation into the rate tool and possible consumer fraud that resulted in a 25 million dollar settlement, with over 20 million of it going to consumers in restitution.

I would like APS to file all documents and materials provided to the Attorney General related to the consumer fraud investigation in this docket.

I noted at the May Open Meeting that the parties to the rate case presented evidence on the APS rate tool, the problems that arose when it was deployed, customer communications, and rate design. I believe this request relates to that evidence and it is appropriate for the material to be produced within this docket.

I am sure there won't be anything in the material that would be cause for concern, I just want to make sure, as your regulator, that I did my due diligence so the public can be confident we got to the heart of the matter.

I assume there will be a lot of material to produce. APS indicated that they would need a few weeks to complete my request. Since I requested the documents at the May meeting, I believe it is reasonable for APS to complete my request by **June 4, 2021**. I look forward to reviewing the material and appreciate the Company's cooperation.

Sincerely,

Anna Tovar Commissioner

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